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In re application of: Timothy P. Duggan, Kingston Owens

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For: Improved Back-Pressure Regulator

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—NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed March 11, 2005.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. The declaration or oath that was filed was determined to be defective. A new original oath or declaration is attached.

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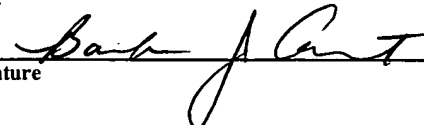
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COMPLETION FEES

III.

1. Surcharge Fees
Declaration or oath late payment of filing fee and/or
Late filing of original (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)) \$130.00

Total Completion Fees \$130.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

- IV. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

- V. The total fee due is:

Completion fees	\$130.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$0.00
Total Fee Due	\$130.00


PAYMENT OF FEES

- VI. Attached is a check in the amount of \$130.00.

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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